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MRS. A. V. ADAMS HURT IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Two Companions Instantly Killed When Wabash Train Hits Car.

Columbia, Mo., August 29.—Mrs. Nancy Greenway and her daughter, Mabel, of Kansas City were killed, and Mrs. A. V. Adams of Jefferson City was seriously injured at 11 a. m. today when their auto was demolished by a Wabash passenger train at Sleighman's Crossing, three miles west of Jonesburg, Montgomery County.

The auto and occupants were dragged 150 feet.

Mrs. Adams was taken from the wreck badly burned and suffering from a fractured spine and crushed chest. She was taken by a passing train to St. Joseph's Hospital in St. Charles, Mo. There it was said that her chance for recovery was very slight.

Both the train and the automobile were west bound. The road runs parallel to the tracks for several miles. Mrs. Adams, who was driving is believed to have attempted to cross the tracks ahead of the train.

According to officials of the Wabash at Moberly, the view of the tracks is unobstructed at the point, and they are unable to account for the failure of the occupants of the machine to see the approaching train.

Jefferson City, Mo., August 29.—Mrs. A. V. Adams, of this city, who was seriously injured when a Wabash train struck the automobile in which she was riding near Jonesburg, Mo., today, is the wife of Col. A. V. Adams of the Adjutant General's office. She has resided here for the past twelve years.

Col. Adams is an old military man and was an officer during the Spanish-American war. They have two sons, one of whom is in the navy. The other is visiting relatives in Adrian.

Mrs. Adams was accompanied from here by her husband and Mrs. Nancy Greenway and daughter, Miss Mable Greenway of Kansas City, old friends of the family. They left here last Friday. At Sedalia Col. Adams left the party to join an artillery contingent a little later on its way to Camp Knox, Tenn. Efforts at the Adjutant General's office today to

reach him failed. He had probably not arrived at the camp.

Mrs. Adams is the daughter of L. R. Allen, an Adrian banker, and spent her girlhood in that town where she has many friends who hope that her injuries are not so bad as the first report seems to indicate.

A dispatch in Wednesday's Kansas City papers say that the car and the engine cab caught fire from the collision and that the bodies of the two ladies killed were badly burned.

I. O. O. F. Conclave Sept. 2-3-4

The Greater Kansas City Conclave of Odd Fellows will be held at Convention Hall in Kansas City, Mo., September 2, 3 and 4. Reduced railroad rates have been secured on all railroads in the states of Arkansas, Iowa, Kansas, Missouri, Nebraska and Oklahoma for this meeting. This rate applies only to members of the Order and their families and is obtained only upon presentation of Certificate which may be obtained from the Secretary of your nearest Odd Fellow Lodge.

Rebekah and Subordinate degree work and a big parade Saturday afternoon will be the features of the occasion.

The Conclave will open with an interesting program on Friday night, September 2, including the conferring of the Decoration of Chivalry by the Patriarchs Militant of Missouri.

The Loyal Sons degree will be conferred Saturday forenoon, and the Subordinate and Rebekah degrees Saturday night.

The Conclave will close Sunday night with a mammoth production of "The Shepherd of Bethlehem" under the direction of the author, Frederick H. Wilson. The entire program, except the degree work, will be open to the public and will be free.

Federal Road Bill Passed.

Washington, Aug. 19.—The federal aid roads bill, appropriating 75 million dollars for construction, one-third of which would be immediately available, was passed today by the senate.

The balance of the general fund would be available in six months. The bill as passed by the house carried 100 million dollars, and it now goes to conference.

EL DORADO SPRINGS 4; BUTLER 1

The Home Boys Erred at Critical Times and the Boys From Cedar County Won a Ball Game.

By taking advantage of the errors of the Butler players the El Dorado Springs bunch won a ball game Sunday afternoon at the local park by the above score. The Butler boys were decidedly off and muffed flies and fumbled grounders were the order of the day.

Morgan, of Stockton, was in the box for the visitors and Howard did the hurling for the locals and there was little to choose between them, each being nicked for five hits, but the hits had little to do with the scoring. The El Dorado team is perhaps the fastest fielding aggregation that has been here this year. They went after everything and nothing got away.

A fairly good crowd was in attendance and they all got their money's worth as sandwiched in between the errors was some as fast ball as could be seen anywhere. Had the management been able to collect from a number of "sports" who drove their cars up the fence and enjoyed the game without the formality of passing through the gate, they would have come nearer breaking even on the game.

How the runs were made:

In the fourth after two were out Mayes was safe at first on Osborne's bad throw and went to second; to third on Siders' hit and scored when Osborne let Drew's grounder get through him. Butler earned a run in the sixth when Ellis singled, stole second; went to third on Osborne's hit and scored on Campbell's sacrifice fly to center. El Dorado scored another in the seventh. After a hard run Hulse dropped Drew's long fly and Drew went to second; was safe on third on Acoc's bad throw to Shroyer and scored on Morgan's sacrifice to Kershner. In the ninth the visitors clinched it. Siders flew out to Hulse; Drew and Goad drew bases on balls and each advanced a base when Morgan's grounder went through Shroyer and scored on an error by Osborne and a fielder's

choice on Coatis.

El Dorado Springs	AB	H	R	O	A	E
Dunnaway, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Coatis, ss	3	0	0	2	2	0
Hoff, rf	4	1	0	0	0	0
Kimsey, 2nd	4	0	0	2	1	0
Mayes, 3d	4	0	1	3	0	0
Siders, cf	4	2	0	2	1	0
Drew, 1st	3	1	1	7	0	0
Goad, c	3	0	1	10	1	0
Morgan, p	3	1	1	0	2	0
	31	5	4	26	7	0

*Ellis out bunting third strike.

Butler	AB	H	R	O	A	E
Ellis, cf	4	1	1	3	1	0
Osborne, ss	4	1	0	2	0	5
Acoc, 2nd	3	0	0	4	5	1
Campbell, lf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Shroyer, 3d	4	1	0	1	1	2
Kershner, 1st	4	0	0	13	0	0
Hulse, rf	3	1	0	2	0	1
Luscomb, c	3	1	0	2	2	0
Howard, p	3	0	0	0	3	1
	30	5	1	27	12	10

Struck out by Morgan, 8; base on balls off Morgan, 2; Howard, 3; stolen bases, Ellis, Osborne; sacrifices Dunnaway 2, Coatis 1, Hoff 1, Campbell 1; Double plays: Ellis to Luscomb. Earned runs, Butler 1; El Dorado Springs none.

Bates County Sunday School Convention.

The thirty-fourth annual convention of the Bates county Sunday schools convened in the Methodist church at Rich Hill Monday morning, with the president, George Sunderwirth presiding. There were fifty delegates in attendance and a very profitable convention was had.

Monday an address "The Modern Day Sunday School," by Miss Harriett Edna Beard of St. Louis, was enjoyed by the delegates. The remainder of the time was taken up in the discussion of topics of interest to the Sunday school workers and listening to an address by workers from different parts of the state.

Hackworth-Carson.

Mr. William R. Carson and Miss Edith M. Hackworth, both of Adrian were quietly married Monday morning at the recorder's office by Judge B. F. Jeter. These young people will make their home on a farm near Adrian.

DOUBLE BRANCH PICNIC

Butler People Given Hearty Reception by Double Branch Community.

On Tuesday the people of the Double Branch Community, southeast of this city, held an all day picnic and community gathering. This is the second affair of the kind put on by this community and was by far a bigger success than the first one, which was held last year.

An invitation had been extended the Butler Commercial Club and residents of Butler in general to attend the picnic and gathering and a large number took advantage of the invitation and good weather and roads and motored to Double Branch to partake of the festivities. A number from Butler spent the afternoon and also the evening with the Double Branch people and enjoyed their hospitality and good program which they had prepared for the occasion. It is very conservatively estimated that 175 from Butler were on the grounds Tuesday evening.

The picnic was held in the beautiful grove just west of Double Branch church. In the evening the large grove was well supplied with electric light for the concessions and platform for the entertainment was given. The Double Branch Sunday School had prepared a home talent play which was well rendered and received the approval of all. Other numbers on the program by the Double Branch Sunday School were a boys' police drill and a tableau scene among the trees which was very beautiful. During the afternoon and evening the Butler Concert Band furnished some high class music and as usual made a hit with the crowd. Herbert WeMott sang in his usual pleasing way.

The ladies of the community had prepared an abundance of good things to eat. The bill of fare consisted of country fried chicken, ham and hamburger sandwiches, ice cream and plenty of good home made cake, hot coffee and ice tea.

In every respect the picnic was pronounced a big success by all and all present most thoroughly enjoyed the affair. The people of the community are to be congratulated upon the way the picnic was given and the well arranged program.

Jenkins-Shelton.

Loel Dwight Shelton and Miss Mabel Agatha Jenkins were united in marriage Sunday morning at 9 o'clock at the M. E. Parsonage by the pastor, Rev. H. A. Mitchell. They left immediately for Rich Hill where they took the train for Wellington, Kan., on a short honeymoon after which they will be at home to their many friends in this city.

Mrs. Shelton is the daughter of Chas. Jenkins of near Adrian and for a number of years past has been engaged in teaching in the rural schools. Mr. Shelton has been employed for some time as mechanic at the Public Garage in this city. Both have a host of friends who join in wishing them much success and happiness throughout a long married life. XX.

Elizabeth Parkinson Worse.

Colorado Springs, Aug. 29.—The condition of Elizabeth Parkinson, famous operatic star, who has been a patient at Cragmor sanatorium here for the last four months, was reported today to be very grave. Attending physicians have sent for her family. Dr. Henry C. Rowland of Washington, D. C., a brother-in-law, already is here.

Miss Parkinson referred to in the above dispatch was a former resident of this city where she has many friends who will regret to learn of her illness.

Grimsley-Nelson.

Miss Ethel M. Grimsley and Mr. Charles C. Nelson, gave their friends quite a surprise when they motored to Harrisonville, Mo., Saturday and were quietly married at the court house at 10:00. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Carl Grimsley and Mrs. J. A. Grimsley. The happy couple expect to make Amoret their future home. They have many friends who extend their heartiest congratulations to them.—Amoret Leader.

Joe Williams, negro, was under indictment Friday for the alleged murder of Sara Barbara Thorsdale, pretty Des Moines school teacher who was assaulted and slain on a lonely road June 7.

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